

## Nevada State Health Division Technical Bulletin



**Topic:** Senate Bill 190 (2011 Legislative Session)

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## TO: HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AND THE PUBLIC

This technical bulletin is being provided to assist in understanding of Senate Bill 190 (SB 190).

## Bill Summary:

This bill provides for the licensure and regulation of music therapists. This bill makes it unlawful to practice music therapy or hold oneself out as a music therapist without a license. This bill makes the State Board of Health the licensing entity for music therapists and establishes the requirements and fee for licensure to practice as a music therapist. This bill allows the State Board of Health to establish a Music Therapy Advisory Group that serves without compensation to assist the Board in carrying out its duties. This bill establishes the grounds for disciplinary action against a music therapist and the procedures for addressing complaints. This bill adds music therapists to the definition of "provider of health care" as used in the chapter which addresses healing arts.

For more detailed information, please visit the following website: http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/76th2011/Bills/SB/SB190 EN.pdf

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